Docket No.: 43889-861

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

TERADA, Y., et al.

Serial No.: 09/299,659

Filed: April 27, 1999

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Group Art Unit: 2634

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Dear Sir:

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P.O. Box 1450

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached: Petition for Extension of Time

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	6	20	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	3	3	0	\$86.00 =	\$0.00
		Multiple claims newly presented			\$0.00
	Fee for extension of time			\$420.00	
				\$0.00	
		Total of Above Calculations			\$420.00

- Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>500417</u> in the amount of \$420.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated April 2, 2004, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire July 2, 2004, a petition for two months extension of time up to and including September 2, 2004 being filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: